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Former CIA agent to speak at Bethel

NORTH NEWTON — A former CIA agent who was sued by the federal government for the best-seller he wrote exposing the CIA's covert action in Africa will speak at Bethel College Thursday night.

The program begins at 7:30 p.m. in Krehbiel Auditorium.

John Stockwell, a former Marine who worked for the CIA in Vietnam and Angola, will speak on "The Secret Wars of the CIA." He will show how the agency "picks fights" with Third World countries and increases world tension by supporting military dictatorships.

After he published "In Search of Enemies," Stockwell was ordered to submit any future books about the U.S. government to the CIA for censorship and to give future profits from the book to the government.

Stockwell will discuss U.S. involvement in Central America and why the government supports military dictators from Asia to South America.

He is the last guest speaker in the Bethel College Peace Lecture Series.